

H.R. 7. An act to provide incentives for charitable contributions by individuals and businesses, to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of government program delivery to individuals and families in need, and to enhance the ability of low-income Americans to gain financial security by building assets.

MEASURES REFERRED

The following bill was read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 7. An act to provide incentives for charitable contributions by individuals and businesses, to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of government program delivery to individuals and families in need, and to enhance the ability of low-income Americans to gain financial security by building assets; to the Committee on Finance.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following joint resolution was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

H.J. Res. 36. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-2902. A communication from the Assistant Director for Budget and Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the designation of acting officer for the position of Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2903. A communication from the Assistant Director for Budget and Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Director of the Office of Science Technology Policy, received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2904. A communication from the Assistant Director for Budget and Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Associate Director for Technology, Office of Science and Technology Policy, received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2905. A communication from the Assistant Director for Budget and Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Associate Director for Environment, Office of Science and Technology Policy, received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2906. A communication from the Assistant Director for Budget and Administration, Executive Office of the President, transmit-

ting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of Associate Director for Science, Office of Science and Technology Policy, received on July 9, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2907. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Airbus Model A300 B2, A300 B4, A300 B4-600, and A300 B4-600R and F4-600R" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0299)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2908. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Airbus Model A300 B-4-601, B4-603, B4-620, BR-605R, and F4-605R" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0296)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2909. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0297)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2910. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Raytheon Aircraft Company Beech Models 45 (YT-34), A45 (T-34A, B-45), and D45 (T-34B) Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0298)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2911. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bombardier Model CL 600 2B19 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0292)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2912. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Airbus Model A310 and Model A300 B4-600, A300 BR-600R, and A300 F4-600R Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0293)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2913. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 757 Series Airplanes Equipped with Rolls Royce Engines" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0294)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2914. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Gulfstream Model G-1159, G-1159A, G-1159B, G-IV, and G-V Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0295)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2915. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 747-400 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0288)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2916. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Construcciones Aeronauticas, SA Model CN 235 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0289)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2917. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Raytheon Model Hawker 800XP Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0290)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2918. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0291)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2919. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Dassault Model Mystere-Falcon 900 and 900EX Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0284)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2920. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bombardier Model DHC 7 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0285)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2921. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: Bell Helicopter Textron Canada Model 407 Helicopters; Rescission" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0286)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2922. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives: McDonnell Douglas Model D-90-30 Series Airplanes" ((RIN2120-AA64)(2001-0287)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2923. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Class E Airspace; Cody, WV" ((RIN2120-AA66)(2001-0111)) received on July 13, 2001; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2924. A communication from the Program Analyst of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation,